THE MARBLE HAL FRESS recently celebrated another birthday. The Press is getting well up in years and has established a reputation as one of the most reliable papers in the state. Hill & Chimidler deserve credit for their good work-Morehouse Hustler. Thanks, Bro. Burgess, for the boque

GOVERNOR MAJOR has designated June 15 and 16 as good roads days. and calls on the people of Missouri to suspend their other business and "labor upon the paidle highway of the state during these two days." The County courts of the various counties of the state are called upon to nake proclamation, informing the people of this fact and call upon there to turn out with teams ... and proper tools with which to make (A) improvements on the public roads. and spend two days in this commendable work.

GERMANN'S THONY IN Provident Wilson's note is said to be very disappointing to the administration and is not at all satisfactory. There seems to be a strong probability of the friendly relations between the two countries becaming strained. The imperial government does not // appear to take our troubles very seriously. It may be that they consider the loss of a hundred or so of human lives and the stoking of a few ships a small matter in as much as they are doing thing along these lines on a so much larger scale.

### Our Grounds for Neutrality

We got the state oward "few acy" cheese from Germany, we helical and Bulturus. Now the South C. B. Davis. They picked about representative of the people, who will from France the slit skirt, the tight American papers have taken the fifteen gallans off of one tree. and the near-no-skiri-ai-ill; from question in minarsing the protest in. Tubert Moier, who has been visit-Russia we got astarchy and untires president Wilson's note. Even little ling his father, Alvin Meier at Canounceable names that produce lock- is not of the sea have joined in the ruthersymbe for the pass three weeks, jaw; from Vienau we got pulverized class. Perhaps never before in returned to his home on this route pup in nighskin yelent, samsager in history of the world has there Sunday afternoon from link we have the black found, been such unanimity of sequine at land S inkind and son, Clyde, have term outer should week these attraction. organ and markey and rom Tackey acquest the appropried policy of a been pathog saw logs to Jackson we have one H from transers so full mighty nation as is now manifest the list week in the sent that they book like sister against Germany's submarine course. The high water that considerable has moved out of 'em, and the brand, which it a sempts to defend only on, damage to the cert, in the bottoms of disagretic than emits on odor that, for ground of extreme accessity - Wednesday is a cross to we are to eng a large. St Louis Globe-Democrat. and the are-result actioned Lazarus. Dexter State-man

Ave., M. E. church, St. Louis has got many says. much with his mouth. The unnect voting President Wilson's note Mr and Mrs. One Gochmann visessary and altogether uncalled-for which will be more significant to find Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Oldham sweeping statements he made a few the wise than if it had emptied a Sunday. days ago in regard to relatious conditions in the lead belt tawns, were published in the St. Louis papers and Dr. Kulp has brought upon himself porters, can they enact the whole some michay ancomplimentary advertising. Congressman Heastey and a number of other prominent men, along with the clergy and newspapers of the towns up there are doing Dr. Kulp to a nice Brown. It is indeed strange that a sensible man in a position of great moral responsibility will allow himself to make the kind of statements in regard to the people of a community that he is charged with making about the people of the lead belt towns. Menwho are expected to cover the weaknesses of humanity with the mantle of charity, ought to be the last ones on earth to exagerate the frailties of the people of any community. Dr. that piracy is the German game. Kulp knows, if he knows anything, that the Christian ministry has to bear enough unjust criticism, which of itself should have influenced him cream separator. to be more prudent. He may be a things he doesn't seem to know.

## World United Also

on the unanimity of approval of the day afternoon. president's note to Germany against sels, without warning, as reflected Saturday afternoon. in the columns of representative Mrs. Annie Goehmann visited her union. The same approval is now Tuesday etening. guage, except in Germany, Austria on business. Allies should protest against such a was expected. They are biased by Wednesday evening. their interests. But the neutral C. B. Davis made a business trip countries of the world are more out- to Jackson Friday.

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ALL DRUGGISTS

innocent passing ... brought ex- to market Friday morning. pressions of horror from the mass. Ingram Burnett went to Jackson. of Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Hol- Friday evening, pronunciation from England; we got bend and Italy There was much N.C. Ortham and daughter. Miss the corp. Hessian fly and limitatives criticism from Roumania, Govern Pearl, picked cherries Friday for

English Option of Wilson

so why similarly we be neutral?- The Observer, one of the lending. August Dietmann and G.R. Davis - membership in legislative bodies, much n wasparers of London, in speaking made a business trip to Jackson of the trouble in government will dis-Dr. E. J. Kulle, pastor of the Maple of President Wilson's note to Ger- Monday

> There is a deadly sunvity per young horse to ride. Only when mer know their own grandfather, William Helese, at Cape minds and the minds of their sup- Granteau the last week ritual of courtiesy with aplomb, and the tranquility with which the president acquits himself; the punctilius avoidance of imputations the studious ascription of a humane and the first of the week. enlightened actitude to the German government and the resolute assumption that the infamies practiced in its interest were the work of insubordinate agents whom it must disavow-all these drive the recipient with the surest forensic art, these rainy days under his new awninto a position where he must either ling, which was just erected this week; bow to the scepter of civilization or declare himself an unequivocal out- Miss Lois, left for St. Louis Friday

'The German answer can only be a cessation of piracy or an avowal

## Jackson Star Route

Silas Hill has purchased a new

Lynn Nevins and Bob Noland smart man, but there are several went to Jackson Saturday on busi-

Mrs. Olaud Davis and daughters, Marie, Mildred and Marjorie picked We have previously commented gooseberries at S. Clodfelter's Mon-

H. R. Meier and Charles Schreiner submarine warfare on merchant ves- made a business trip to Jackson

newspapers of every state in the parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Oldham

being voiced in every country of Joseph Brennecke and Clemon the world that has a written lan-Slinkard went to Jackson Saturday

Hungary and Turkey. That the Thomas Strong is on the sick list. departure from civilized warfare Brennecke visited Mrs. Julius Philips Jackson Mouday. Mrs. Larimore

spoken than even the Ailies. The Lonzo Slinkard, Early Proffer and company.

sinking of the Lusitania, with its Tim Brode ick took some fine hogs

from your

Johnnie Oldham is breaking his

BULE EYES.

## Lutesviile News

A small vandeville show was here

O B. Garrison and family moved to St. Louis Wednesday of this week.

Vest Myers and family moved to Cape Girardean the first of the week.

G. H. Arthur is enjoying the shade

Mrs. W. A. Leodler and daughter, for an extended visit with relatives.

Willie Wiegs and Lee Van Amburg returned home Saturday from the Cape where they have been attending the state Normal.

Mrs. H. B. Cole and children returned home from Cape Girardeau Friday, where they had been visiting relatives the last week.

Miss Margaret Hickam, who has employment in St. Louis, came down to visit her mother, Mrs. L. D. Hickam, returning Monday

Paul Farnsworth of near town received his new gasoline engine last Friday and says that now he can run spools and enjoy it.

A. D. Waronker, family and store moved to a place south of here Tuesday. Mont Hamilton accompanied them to assist in starting the business.

Mrs. Andrew Larimore and son Mrs. Annie Meier and Mrs. Jacob Aldis, returned to their home in has been visiting Henry Elfrank and family while Aldis was here in the interest of the Peoples Telephone

This country is suffering more from thinted politics than from any other malady at the present time. There is scarcely a campaign speech made a datform demand written or a men ure enacted into law that does not arry the taint of personal gain of ome politician or political faction thereof.

There is more "blue sky" in campaign promises of many politicians conning for office than was ever contained in the prospectuses of the beldest promoters of chimerical business schemes. There are more secret com binations formed by politicians in the name of "My Country" than were ever formed under any and all other liases. There are more political rebates hidden in the phrase "Be it en acted" than were ever concealed under any and all other disguises.

The inordinate thirst for political power and unrestrained passion for mastery has caused more distress in this nation than the greed for gold, and it ought to be regulated by law No business combination ever pursued their competitors as relentlessly or visited more heartless cruelty upon their customers than a political party that seeks to make junk of an industry or cripple a business for party success, through tariff measures, political supervision and ofttimes destructive legislation. Many political platforms are as alluring to the voter as the story of the rainbow with its pot of gold and their consummation about as far-fetched. Self-gain is the first law in politics. There are many men in office today who, if they could not shake plums off the tree of American liberty or cut a melon taken from Uncle Sam's commissary, would have less desire to serve the public

The country is surfeiting with patri ots, who will have their breast to bullets in defense of their country, but there are few men in public life who all have their breast to voters or run the gauntlet of party distavor in dehose of agriculture or indu try No remail personal prejudice to dethrone purtice, party success to disfranchise remen or the rancer of a political campaign to influence judgment can runder capable service.

The preservation of our prosperity depend upon wisdom, courses and houe ly in government, and the Amer be'er as implicitly as the Wise Mun followed the Star of Bethlehers and they will often be found to rest ever the Shepherd. The surest cure for tainted politics and machine rule in fresh air and supshine and these im-Nello, "Helping Hand," let us hear portant elements are most abundant upon the farm, and when farmers, bankers and merchants are elected to

By Peter Radford.

Much has been said and more written about the evils of watered stock in ers of this nation believe that ever dollar written into the life of any business organization, should be able "I know that my Redeemer Hyeth," but farming is the biggest business on earth, and there is more water in its financial transaction than that of any other industry. There is as much water in a farmer's note drawing eight or ten per cent interest when other lines of industry secure money for four or five per cent per annum, as there is in a business paying a reasonable compensation upon the face value of securities representing an investment of only fifty cents on the dollar. The only difference is, the water is in the interest rate in one instance and in the securities in the other.

The premeter ofttimes takes chances and his success is contingent upon them the development of the property involved but the usurer, as a rule, takes no chances and his success cripples the property involved. There may be industries that cry louder but none that suffer more severely from financial immorality in both law and cus tom than that of agriculture

The farmets of America today are paying \$200,000,000 per annum in usury on real estate and chattel loans, and this interest capitalized at five per cent, represents \$4,000,000, 000 of fictitious values which the farmer is paying interest on. This sum of money is almost equal to the annual value of crops produced in the United

The earning power of the farmer's note based upon his interest rate very nearly divides likes the earth's surface-three-fourths water and onefourth land. The largest body of water that floats upon the financial hemisphere now rests upon the farms and its waves are dashing and its billows are rolling against seven million homes threatening ruin and disaster to the prosperity of the nation. Will our public servants who understand how to drain the liquid off industrial properties furn the faucet and let the water off the farms?

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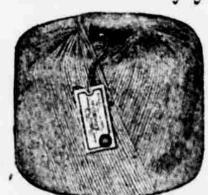
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"Was the deceased popular?" "Was he" echood the chief speak-

er, "Washe? Stranger, every dog's tail in town stopped wagging for five minutes while the funeral passed." -St. Jes ; h Observer.

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